

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the **PATENT APPLICATION** of:

Keith Hart

Application No.: 10/548,311

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For: INSERTABLE COMPONENT WHICH
CAN BE INSERTED INTO A GAS OR
LIQUID LINE

Group: 3753

Examiner: John A. Rivell

Our File: SMB-PT157

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REPLY PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.114

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Sir:

This Reply is being timely filed in response to the Final Office Action dated June 18, 2009. A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is filed concurrently herewith.

Please amend the application as noted in detail below.